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(Continuation of Application Serial No. 10/060,941)

MULTIPLE VIRAL REPLICON CULTURE SYSTEMS

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Enclosed please find the following documents for filing in connection with the above-identified application in the names of Julie Dyall, Charles P. Romano, Paul D. Olivo and Robert M. Roth, entitled MULTIPLE VIRAL REPLICON CULTURE SYSTEMS:

- Utility Patent Application Transmittal Form PTO/SB/05 (1 page); 1.
- 2. Fee Transmittal Form PTO/SB/17 (1 page);
- 3. Preliminary Amendment (6 pages);
- Copy of prior Application No. 10/060,941 (44 pages) with drawings 4. (3 sheets);
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